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C O N F I D E N T I A L LUSAKA 2113

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PDEV WA ZA

SUBJ: WHEREABOUTS OF SAM NUJOMA

REF: (A) LUSAKA 2059; (B) LUSAKA 2068

1. SWAPO PRESIDENT NUJOMA ARRIVED LUSAKA BY PRIVATE JET LATE EVENING JULY 18. MUYONGO DID NOT INFORM THE EMBASSY OF NUJOMA'S RETURN AS HE HAD PROMISED (REFTEL B).

2. ACCORDING TO JULY 21 PRESS REPORTS, NUJOMA, SOON AFTER HIS RETURN, SAID SWAPO WELCOMES THE WESTERN INITIATIVE FOR A NEGOTIATED SETTLEMENT IF THEY ARE AIMED AT FULL IMPLEMENTATION OF OUTSTANDING UN RESOLUTIONS DATING BACK TO 1966. HE THEN WENT ON TO SAY THAT FIVE WESTERN COUNTRIES WERE TURNING A BLIND EYE TO THE WAR IN NAMIBIA. WAR HAS GIVEN RISE TO RACIAL HATRED WHICH "MUST BE TAKEN INTO VERY STRONG ACCOUNT." SWAPO WOULD TAKE PART IN ELECTIONS ONLY IF SOUTH AFRICAN TROOPS ARE WITHDRAWN AND REPLACED BY UN PEACE KEEPING FORCE. FURTHER, CONFIDENTIAL

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THERE MUST BE THE UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF POLITICAL PRISONERS; AND SAG MUST ISSUE A PUBLIC STATEMENT COMMITTING ITSELF TO RESPECTING NAMIBIAN TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY PLUS WALVIS BAY.

3. NUJOMA ALSO ACCUSED SOUTH AFRICA OF "POURING VAST SUMS OF MONEY INTO NAMIBIA TO BUY BLACK PUPPETS." THIS IS BEING

DONE TO GAIN SUPPORT FOR A TURNHALLE "SELL OUT TRIBAL AGREE-  
MENT." SOUTH AFRICA ALSO IS INTENSIFYING MILITARY TRAINING  
OF AFRICANS ON A TRIBAL BASIS AND BY SO DOING IS CREATING  
CONDITIONS FOR A POST INDEPENDENCE CIVIL WAR.

COMMENT: FROM TALKING WITH SWAPO CONTACTS HERE (REFTEL A),  
WE AND THE BRITISH HAVE GOTTEN THE IMPRESSION THAT OUR EFFORTS  
TO GET SWAPO TO NEW YORK HAS GIVEN SWAPO OFFICIALS A MOVIE STAR  
COMPLEX. CLEARLY IT IS IMPORTANT TO GET SWAPO TO NEW YORK, BUT  
THE MORE WE PRESS THEM THE MORE THEY ARE CONVINCED THAT THEY  
MUST BE CATERED TO. WE ARE INCLINED TO RECOMMEND THAT WE LET  
SWAPO COME TO US AT THIS POINT RATHER THAN OUR GOING TO THEM  
AND ONCE AGAIN ARGUING FOR AN EARLY MEETING IN NEW YORK.  
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